

House Amendment 8621

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1 1 Amend Senate File 2425, as amended, passed, and
1 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
1 3 #1. Page 52, by inserting after line 12, the
1 4 following:
1 5 <____. a. The department of human services, in
1 6 cooperation with assisted living program providers,
1 7 advocates, and policymakers, shall develop an
1 8 alternative rate setting approach for tenants in
1 9 congregate residential care settings such as assisted
1 10 living programs and elder group homes under the home
1 11 and community-based services waiver for the elderly.
1 12 The alternative rate setting approaches considered may
1 13 include but are not limited to flat=fee, tiered, or
1 14 case=mix methodologies. The department shall submit a
1 15 plan of recommendations to the individuals specified
1 16 in this Act to receive reports by October 1, 2008.
1 17 b. Beginning July 1, 2008, the department of human
1 18 services shall provide congregate residential care
1 19 setting providers such as assisted living programs and
1 20 elder group homes, with the form required by the
1 21 medical assistance program for documentation of home
1 22 and community-based services waiver for the elderly
1 23 services provided to consumers in these settings. The
1 24 form shall reflect the distinction between in=home
1 25 care and care in the congregate residential setting
1 26 and the 24=hours=per=day, seven=days=per=week service
1 27 requirements of consumers in these settings.>
1 28 #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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